

### PATENT APPLICATION

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ntors: Ecker, Griffey, Sampath, Hofstadler, McNeil, and Crooke

Serial No.: 09/891,793

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Title: Secondary Structure Defining Database And Methods For Determining Identity

And Geographic Origin Of An Unknown Bioagent Thereby

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All previous powers of attorney or authorizations of agent given in the above-identified application have been revoked and subsequently appointed to practitioners at Customer No. 34138 pursuant to the Power Of Attorney With Revocation And Change Of Correspondence Address, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. Also enclosed is a copy of Table A identifying all pertinent applications, the Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b), and a copy of the assignment filed in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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as my/our attorney(s) or agent(s) to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact
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A to:
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I am the:
Applicant/Inventor.
Assignee of record of the entire interest. (A statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed.)
Respectfully submitted,
ISIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
Date: 12-6-02 By:
Name: B. Lynne Parshall  Title: Executive Vice President

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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant, ISIS Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a corporation, states that it is:

X the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest of the applications identified in Table A attached hereto.

The extent (by, percentage) of its ownership interest is 100% in the patent applications identified in Table A by virtue of:

a copy of the pertinent assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent applications identified in Table A is enclosed herewith.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

ISIS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Date: 12-6-02

Name: B/Lynne Parshall

Title: Executive Vice President

# TABLE A

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	INVENTORS	Ecker	Ecker, Griffey, Samnath Hofstadler	McNeil	Ecker, Griffey,	Sampath, Hofstadler, McNeil	Ecker, Griffey,	Sampath, Hofstadler,	McNeil, Crooke	Sampath		Ecker	Griffey, Hofstadler,	Swayze	Griffey, Hofstadler,	Swayze					
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#### ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I/we, David J. Ecker of Encinitas, California, Richard H. Griffey of Vista, California, Rangarajan Sampath of San Diego, California, Steven A. Hofstadler of Oceanside, California, John McNeil of La Jolla, California and Stanley T. Crooke of Carlsbad, California has/have invented a certain invention entitled A SECONDARY STRUCTURE DEFINING DATABASE AND METHODS FOR DETERMINING IDENTITY AND GEOGRAPHIC ORIGIN OF AN UNKNOWN BIOAGENT THEREBY, for which I/we have made an application for Letters Patent of the United States, said application having been filed June 26, 2001 and assigned Application No. 09/891,793; and

WHEREAS, ISIS Pharmaceuticals, Inc. hereinafter referred to as the assignee, of 2292 Faraday Avenue, Carlsbad CA, a corporation of Delaware, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions or improvements and in and to the said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in any and all countries:

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to each of us in hand paid by said assignee, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to said assignee, the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions or improvements and said application and any and all continuations, divisions and renewals of and substitutes for said application, and in, to and under any and all Letters Patent which may be granted on or as a result thereof in the United States and any and all other countries, and any reissue or reissues or extension or extensions of said Letters Patent, and assign to and authorize said assignee, to file in our names applications for Letters Patent in all countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees or legal representatives, to the full end of the term or terms for which said

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Letters Patent respectively may be granted, reissued or extended, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment, sale and transfer not been made.

AND we hereby covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith, and we further covenant and agree that we will each time request is made and without undue delay, execute and deliver all such papers as may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent to said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees, or legal representatives, and each of us agrees to communicate to said assignee or to its nominee all known facts respecting said inventions or improvements, said application and said Letters Patent, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign all lawful papers to execute all disclaimers and divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, to make all rightful oaths, and generally to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors, assigns, nominees and legal representatives to obtain and enforce for its or their own benefit proper patent protection for said inventions or improvements in any and all countries.

AND we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and any official of any country or countries foreign to the United States whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue to said assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest, any and all Letters Patent for said inventions or improvements, including any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued and granted on or as a result of the application aforesaid, in accordance with the terms of this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals.

Dated: 11-16	, 20_01	Darl J. Ech	
		DAVID J. ECKER	
State of California	,		
otate of Camorina	) ss.		
County of San Diego	)		
On this 164	day of Alou	<u>PAILER</u> , 20 <u>01</u> , before me, tl	he undersigned
Notary Public for the	state, personally an	peared DAVID J. ECKER, person	ne undersigned,
ne/p <del>roved to me on th</del>	Tasis of satisfactor	ry evidence to be the person who	subscribed the
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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature of Notary

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Dated: DECEMber, 2001

RICHARD H CRIFFEY

State of California

SS.

County of San Diego

On this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for the state, personally appeared RICHARD H. GRIFFEY, personally known to me/proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who subscribed the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the Assignment the person, or the entity on behalf of which the person acted, executed the Assignment.



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On this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_0/, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for the state, personally appeared STEVEN A. HOFSTADLER, personally known to me/proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who subscribed the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged to me that he she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the Assignment the person, or the entity on behalf of which the person acted, executed the Assignment.

LANE B.D. SCHWARTZ

Commission # 1196197

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Dated: <u>Dec 06</u>	, , 20 <u>0</u> /		
		JOHN MCNEIL	
State of California	)	<b>/</b>	
County of San Diego	) ss. )		

On this day of DECENDED, 2001, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public for the state, personally appeared JOHN MCNEIL, personally known to me/proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who subscribed the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the Assignment the person, or the entity on behalf of which the person acted, executed the Assignment.

LANE B.D. SCHWARTZ

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San Diego County
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Dated:	, 20 <u>_0/</u>	STANLEY T. CROOKE
State of California	)	
County of San Diego	) ss. )	,

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